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BY CM/ECF

The Honorable Jennifer H. Rearden United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

> *United States v. Jerry Walton*, 24 Cr. 50 (JHR) Re:

Dear Judge Rearden:

On December 6, 2024, the Court granted the parties' request for an exclusion of time to conclude their plea discussions. (Dkt. 26.) The parties now respectfully request that a plea be scheduled at a time convenient for the Court on or after January 20, 2025. Mr. Walton consents to the exclusion of time through the hearing date scheduled by the Court, under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161. The Government consents to this request.

The Court has previously granted five requests for an adjournment and found that the exclusion of time served the ends of justice. (Dkts. 12, 19, 22, 24, 26.) There are, at present, no other existing deadlines or other scheduled dates in the case.

We thank the Court for its consideration of this request.

Application GRANTED. On January 30, 2025 at 11:15 a.m., a change-of-plea proceeding will take place in Courtroom 12B of the Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York 10007. The time Respectfully submitted, through January 30, 2025 is excluded to allow the parties to prepare for the proceeding. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A). The Court finds that the ends of justice served by excluding such time outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant in a speedy trial.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate ECF No. 27.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 13, 2024